



NEW ROOT OF SYNTHESIS OF SUBSTITUTED 2-PYRAZOLINES

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ABSTRACT

The 1-(4'-chloro phenyl)-3-(3'-nitro phenyl)-prop-2-en-1-one 1(a-h) was obtained by reaction of different acetophenone and aromatic aldehydes in the presence of aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. A mixture of 1-(4'-chloro phenyl)-3-(3'-nitro phenyl)-prop-2-en-1-one 1(a-h), Hydrazine hydrate and glacial acetic acid give 1-acetyl-3-(4'-chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-nitro phenyl)-2-pyrazoline 2(a-h). 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-prop-2'-en-1'-one]-3-(4'-chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-Substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazoline 3(a-h) was obtained by reaction of 2(a-h) with guanidine carbonate and NaOH was dissolved in DMF to form 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-5'-amino pyrimidine]-3-(4'-chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-Substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazoline 4(a-h). The newly synthesized compounds show antibacterial and antifungal activities when compared with standard drug Norfloxacin and Griseofulvin against Bacterial cultures such as *E. coli*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, *S. aureus*, *Proteus vulgaris* and fungal cultures *Aspergillus niger* and *Candida albicans*. The synthesized compounds are characterized by FTIR, ¹H NMR, elemental analysis, chemical properties.

Keywords: Phenyl amino, Phenylprop-2-en-1-one, Azomethine, Pyrimidines.

INTRODUCTION

Heterocyclic compounds have been found to occur widely in nature and have proved to be of immense significance in life. Their varied physicochemical and pharmacological

properties attract the attention of chemists and biologists. They have gained much importance in medicinal chemistry due to their presence in a large number of pharmacologically active moieties and are in regular clinical use and proved to be a potent drug. Common drugs such as morphine, penicillin and non-steroidal anti-inflammatory agents contain at least one hetero atom in their structure¹. Besides clinical use, they are also applicable in the field of agricultural, photography, dyes, biocides and polymer science. The range of known compounds is virtually limitless owing to an impressive spectrum of physical, chemical and biological properties². The development of a clean procedure for the preparation of heterocyclic compounds is a major challenge in modern heterocyclic chemistry in view of the environmental, practical and economical issues. Among different heterocyclic systems, the chemistry of five and six membered heterocycles with more than one hetero atom has gained significance as many of them exhibit pronounced bioactive nature. In the present study, considerable attention has been focused on the pyrazolines, chalcones and pyrimidines because of their fascinating biological activities. 2-Pyrazolines five membered heterocyclic compounds with two hetero atoms are termed Azoles³. They comprise the several ring systems which are essential for the living systems. The lone pair of electrons on the hetero atom contributes towards the aromatic sextet. Azoles containing two nitrogen atoms in the 1, 2- position are termed as pyrazole 1 with molecular formula C₃H₄N₂, discovered by Buchner in 1889. The dihydro pyrazoles are called Pyrazolines introduced by Fischer and

Knovenagel⁴ in the late 19th century by the reaction of acrolein with phenyl hydrazine which was reported as the first experiment for the synthesis of 2-pyrazoline, by using α , β – enone and hydrazine derivatives. Later it was corroborated by Auwers et al^{5, 6}.

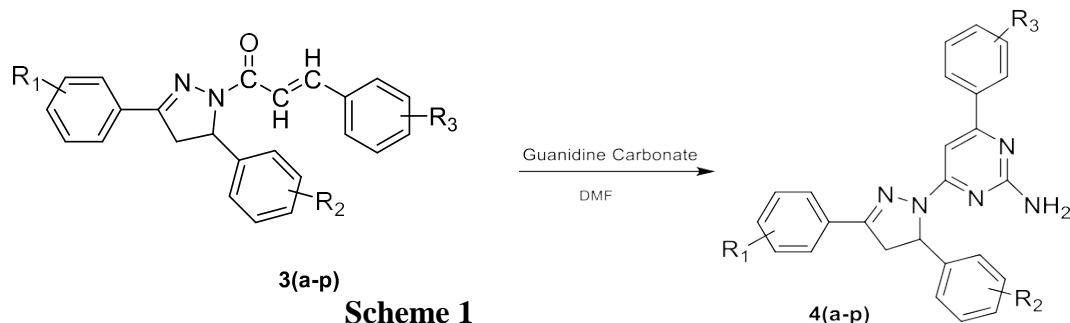
Five membered heterocyclic molecules, 2-pyrazoline, containing two nitrogen atoms in adjacent position and possessing only one endocyclic double bond has gained attraction and possess a broad spectrum of biological activity such as antimicrobial⁷, antimycobacterial⁸, anti-depressant⁹, anti-inflammatory¹⁰, analgesic¹¹, anticonvulsant¹², anticancer¹³, antitumor¹⁴, cytotoxic¹⁵, antioxidant¹⁶, antiamoebic¹⁷, antiproliferative¹⁸, hypotensive activity¹⁹, antiepileptic²⁰ and insecticidal properties²¹.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION

The precursor chalcones **1a** is synthesized by a base catalyzed Claisen– Schmidt condensation reaction of 4-chloro acetophenone and 3-nitro benzaldehyde with 93% yield. The synthesis of chalcones **1a** was confirmed on the basis of its IR and ¹H NMR spectra. The IR spectrum of a compound **1a** taken in KBr pellet showed an absorption band at 1667.5 cm⁻¹ indicating the presence of conjugated carbonyl group (C=O). The ¹H NMR spectrum displayed 2 doublets at δ 7.82 ppm (H- α) and δ 8.09 ppm (H- β) which confirm the formation of chalcones possessing a α , β – unsaturated ketones. The other aromatic protons usually appear in between δ 7.58-8.74 ppm depending on the type of aromatic ring and electronic effects of the substituent's present on these rings. The ¹³C

NMR spectrum was consistent with the ¹H NMR spectrum. The result of elemental analysis and mass spectrum was in agreement with those of calculated values. The reaction of 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-prop-2'-en-1'-one]-3- (4'-chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-nitro phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **3p** with guanidine carbonate in DMF in presence of NaOH gave product 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-5'-amino pyrimidine]-3-(4'- chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-nitro phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **4p**. The IR spectrum of a compound **4p** taken in KBr pellet exhibited two peaks at 3523.21 cm⁻¹ and 3405.23 cm⁻¹ showed the presence of a primary amino group. The C=O stretching vibration is absent, indicating the cyclisation of chalcone into pyrimidine ring. The peaks in the region 1663.1 cm⁻¹ and 1550.1 cm⁻¹ shows the presence of C=N and C=C group.

The ¹H NMR spectrum shows the multiplets in the range 8.13-6.65 due to aromatic protons. The singlet at 4.62 and 3.04 shows the presence of NH₂ and N(CH₃)₂ protons. The ¹³C NMR spectrum showed singlet at δ 93.47, δ 59.61, δ 41.08, δ 40.03 ppm shows the presence of C2 pyrimidine, C5 pyrazoline, C4 pyrazoline and N(CH₃)₂ carbon atoms. The ¹³C NMR spectrum is consistent with the ¹H NMR spectrum. The result of elemental analysis and mass spectra was in agreement with those of calculated values. IR spectrum confirms the presence of particular functional groups and mass spectrum confirmed the molecular weight of **4p**. Based on above spectral data, the structure of compound **4p** is confirmed as 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-5'- amino pyrimidine]-3-(4'- chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-nitro phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **4p**.



Where,

I D	R1	R 2	R3	ID	R1	R2	R3
4a	4- NO ₂	4N(CH ₃) 2	4-OH	4i	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	4- OCH ₃
4b	4- NO ₂	4N(CH ₃) 2	4-OCH ₃	4j	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	3- NO ₂
4c	4- NO ₂	4N(CH ₃) 2	3- NO ₂	4k	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	4- N(CH ₃) 2
4d	4- NO ₂	4N(CH ₃) 2	4- N(CH ₃) 2	4l	4- NO ₂	4-OH	2,4(Cl) 2
4e	4- NO ₂	3-NO ₂	4-OH	4m	4-OH	H	4- N(CH ₃) 2
4f	4- NO ₂	3-NO ₂	4-OCH ₃	4n	4-OH	4- OCH ₃	4-OH
4g	4- NO ₂	3-NO ₂	3- NO ₂	4o	4-Cl	4N(CH 3)2	4- N(CH ₃) 2
4h	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	4-OH	4p	4-Cl	4N(CH 3)2	4- OCH ₃

BIOLOGICAL STUDIES

Comparative study of 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-5'-amino pyrimidine]- 3-(4'- chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-Substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **4(a-p)** have been observed by using Norfloxacin and Griseofulvin as standards. The enhancement in biological activity of compound (1) as compared with the newly

synthesized (**4a-p**) has been observed. The synthesized compounds were tested at 100g/ml concentration against *Escherichia coli*, *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Ps. aeruginosa*, *P.vulgaris*, *A. niger* and *C. albicans* for its antibacterial and antifungal screening as shown in **Table-I**.

Table 1: The *In Vitro* antibacterial & antifungal activities of compounds **4(a-p)**

S.No.	Derivative	Diameter of zone of inhibition (mm) for organism				
		Bacterial Strains				Fungal strains
		Gram negative		Gram positive		
		E.Coli	P.Aeruginosa	S. Aureus	B.Subtilis	A.Niger
1	4a	15	18	21	10	19
2	4b	15	19	20	11	18
3	4c	13	18	21	11	15
4	4d	18	22	22	15	19
5	4e	16	19	19	12	14
6	4f	14	18	20	14	16
7	4g	13	19	18	11	14
8	4h	16	20	18	12	16

9	4i	17	18	20	13	16
10	4j	15	19	18	10	17
11	4k	18	20	19	10	19
12	4l	20	21	21	21	23
13	4m	15	20	20	14	12
14	4n	19	20	19	13	19
15	4o	18	19	19	12	18
16	4p	18	20	20	13	18
17	Ciprofloxacin	48	51	41	40	--
18	Fluconazole	--	--	--	--	40

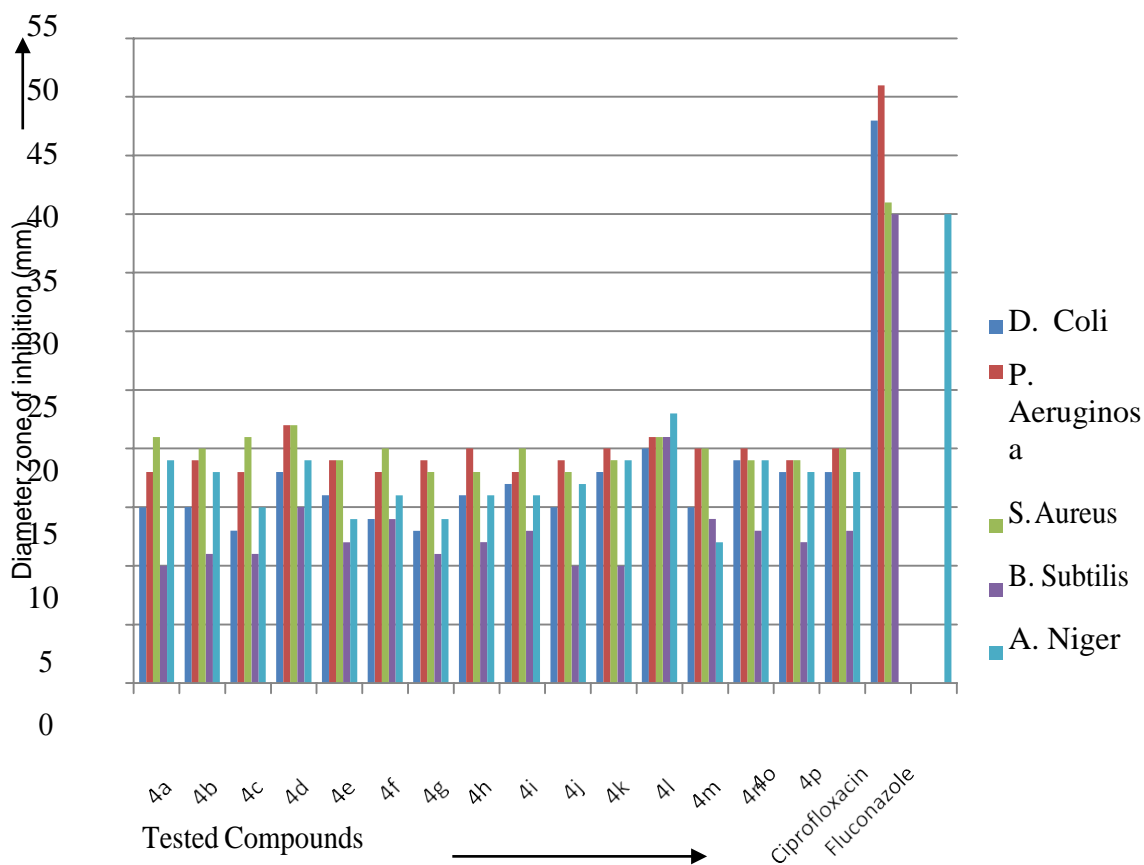


Fig. 1 : Antibacterial & antifungal activities of compounds (a-p)

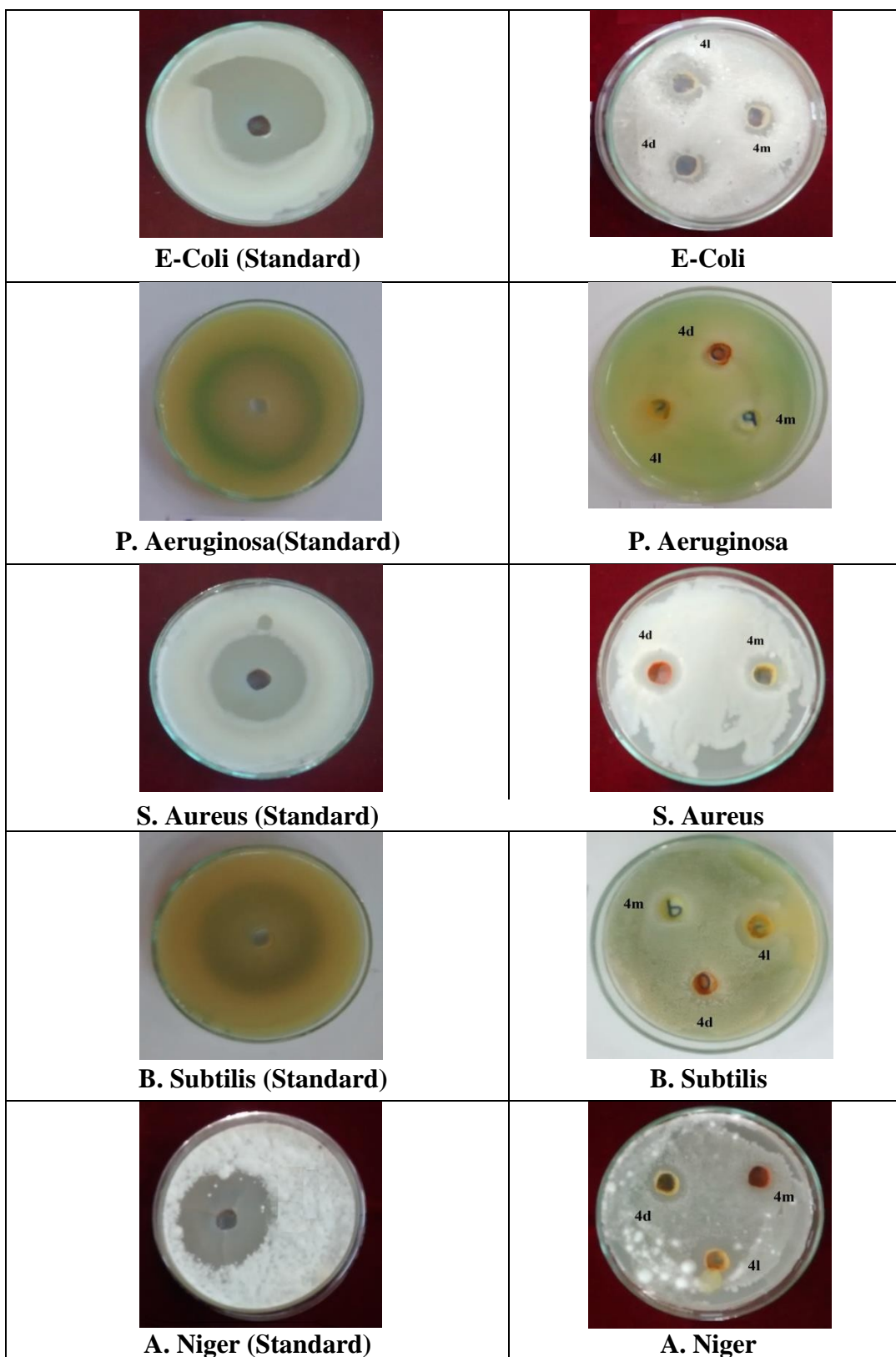


Fig 2 : Photographs showing zone of inhibition of 4d, 4m, 4l & standards.

EXPERIMENTAL**Synthesis of 1-(substituted phenyl)-3-(substituted phenyl) prop-2-en-1-one 1 (a-h)**

Equimolar quantities of different acetophenone (0.01 mole) and aromatic aldehydes (0.01 mole) were dissolved in minimum amount of alcohol. To this, aqueous sodium hydroxide solution (10 ml, 40%) was added drop wise with stirring. The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously for 2-3 hours, below 25⁰c, until the mixture is so thick that stirring is no longer effective and neutralized with conc. HCl. The solid obtained was filtered washed with cold water, until the washings are neutral to litmus.

Synthesis of 1-acetyl-3-(substituted phenyl)-5-(substituted phenyl)-2-Pyrazolines 2(a-h).

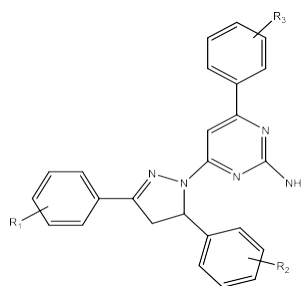
A mixture of chalcones (10 mmoles), 99% Hydrazine hydrate (50 mmole) and glacial acetic acid (60 ml) was refluxed for 3-6 hour in water bath, then poured on to crushed ice. The resulting solid was washed and crystallized with suitable solvent.

Synthesis of 1-[3'-(substituted phenyl) prop-2'-en-1'-one]-3-(substituted phenyl)-5-(substituted 3 (a-p). phenyl)-2-pyrazoline

The substituted phenyl)-5-(substituted phenyl) - 2-pyrazolines 2(a-h) (0.01 mole) and different aromatic aldehydes adopted for the synthesis of acetyl pyrazoline derivatives. The reaction mixture was stirred vigorously for 2-3 hours and neutralized with concentrated hydrochloric acid. The solid obtained was washed with cold water and recrystallized with suitable solvent.

Synthesis of 1-(3'-substituted phenyl)-5'-amino pyrimidine) - 3-(substituted phenyl)-5-(substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazolines 4 (a-p).

A mixture of 1-(substituted chalcones)-3-(substituted phenyl)-5-(substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **3(a-p)** (0.01mole), guanidine carbonate (0.01mole) and NaOH (0.01mole, 0.4 g) was dissolved in DMF (40 ml). The reaction mixture was stirred and refluxed for 3-5 hours on the water bath and the completion of the reaction is monitored by TLC then poured on to crushed ice. The solid obtained was washed with cold water and purified by recrystallization from ethanol.

Table 2: Physicochemical characterization data of compound **4(a-p)**

ID	R1	R2	R3	Molecular Formula	MP 0C	Yield %	Analysis Cal (found)		
							C %	H %	N %
4a	4-NO2	4N(CH3) ₂	4-OH	C ₂₇ H ₂₅ N ₇ O ₃	132	66	65.45 (65.44)	5.05 (5.09)	19.80 (19.88)
4b	4-NO2	4N(CH3) ₂	4-OCH3	C ₂₈ H ₂₇ N ₇ O ₃	147	70	66.01 (66.10)	5.31 (5.39)	19.25 (19.32)

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4c	4-NO ₂	4N(CH ₃) ₂	3-NO ₂	C ₂₇ H ₂₄ N ₈ O ₄	85	71	61.83 (61.79)	4.58 (4.65)	21.37 (21.39)
4d	4-NO ₂	4N(CH ₃) ₂	4-N(CH ₃) ₂	C ₂₉ H ₃₀ N ₈ O ₂	110	76	66.67 (66.64)	5.75 (5.78)	21.46 (21.51)
4e	4-NO ₂	3-NO ₂	4-OH	C ₂₅ H ₁₉ N ₇ O ₅	78	82	60.36 (60.30)	3.82 (3.90)	19.72 (19.66)
4f	4-NO ₂	3-NO ₂	4-OCH ₃	C ₂₆ H ₂₁ N ₇ O ₅	80	76	61.06 (61.11)	4.11 (4.09)	19.18 (19.21)
4g	4-NO ₂	3-NO ₂	3-NO ₂	C ₂₅ H ₁₈ N ₈ O ₆	74	67	57.03 (57.10)	3.42 (3.49)	21.29 (21.22)
4h	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	4-OH	C ₂₅ H ₁₉ N ₆ O ₃ Cl	148	65	61.73 (61.68)	3.91 (3.99)	17.28 (17.23)
4i	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	4-OCH ₃	C ₂₆ H ₂₁ N ₆ O ₃ Cl	97	67	62.40 (62.39)	4.20 (4.25)	16.80 (16.75)
4j	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	3-NO ₂	C ₂₅ H ₁₈ N ₇ O ₄ Cl	109	59	58.25 (58.23)	3.50 (3.48)	19.03 (19.08)
4k	4-Cl	3-NO ₂	4-N(CH ₃) ₂	C ₂₇ H ₂₄ N ₇ O ₂ Cl	76	62	63.16 (63.18)	4.68 (4.69)	19.10 (19.14)
4l	4-NO ₂	4-OH	2,4-(Cl) ₂	C ₂₅ H ₁₈ N ₆ O ₃ Cl ₂	135	58	57.58 (57.62)	3.46 (3.44)	16.12 (16.15)
4m	4-OH	H	4-N(CH ₃) ₂	C ₂₇ H ₂₆ N ₆ O	117	57	72.0 (72.10)	5.78 (5.75)	18.67 (18.70)
4n	4-OH	4-OCH ₃	4-OH	C ₂₆ H ₂₃ N ₅ O ₃	124	60	68.87 (68.89)	5.07 (5.10)	15.45 (15.60)
4o	4-Cl	4N(CH ₃) ₂	4-N(CH ₃) ₂	C ₂₉ H ₃₀ N ₇ C ₁	74	61	68.10 (68.09)	5.87 (5.89)	19.18 (19.20)
4p	4-Cl	4N(CH ₃) ₂	4-OCH ₃	C ₂₈ H ₂₇ N ₆ O ₁ Cl	112	64	67.47 (67.44)	5.42 (5.48)	16.87 (16.91)

1) **Elemental Analysis:** From the analytical data the molecular formula of the compound **1a** was found to be C₁₅H₁₀NO₃Cl. Calculated : %C-62.72 %H – 3.48, %N – 4.89; Found %C – 62.68, %H – 3.42, %N -4.85

Spectral Analysis:

FTIR (KBr, λ max, cm⁻¹): 3091.32 (Ar-H str), 3066.25, 3035.3 (=C-H, H-C= str), 1667.5 (C=O str), 1608.5, 1588.8 (C=C str), 1523.2, 1351.2 (Ar-NO₂ str), 742.13 (Ar-Cl)

¹H NMR (δ ppm): 7.58-8.74 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 8.09 (d, 1H, H β), 7.82 (d, 1H, H α).

¹³C NMR (δ ppm): 187.69 (C=O), 146.44(=CH-), 122.49 (-CH=), 121.13-141.69 (12C,Aromatic)

Mass Spectra: m/z 288.27. It showed several other peaks at m/z 166.35, m/z 155.33, m/z 122.02, m/z 111.22 etc.

Elemental Analysis: C₁₇H₁₄N₃O₃Cl. Calculated : %C- 59.48,

%H – 4.08 , %N – 12.24 ; Found %C – 59.42,
%H – 4.10 , %N – 12.19.

Spectral Analysis:

FTIR (KBr, λ max, cm^{-1}): 3082.28 (Ar-H str), 2935.32, 2866.33 (C-H str), 1670.3 (C=O str), 1596.16 (C=N str), 1480.22 (C=C str), 1351.63 (Ar- NO₂ str), 1150.21 (C-N str), 740.25 (C-Cl str).

¹H NMR (δ ppm): 7.42-8.10 (m, 8H, Ar-H), 5.69-5.73 (dd, 1H, C5 pyrazoline), 3.87-3.94 (dd, 1H, C4_{cis} pyrazoline), 3.16-3.22 (dd, 1H, C4_{trans} pyrazoline), 2.38 (s, 3H, CH₃).

¹³C NMR (δ ppm): 167.10 (C=O), 152.43 (C3 Pyrazoline), 120-147 (12C, phenyl ring), 58.91 (C5 pyrazoline), 41.51 (C4 pyrazoline), 21.10 (CH₃).

Mass Spectra: m/z 344.32. It showed several other peaks at m/z 232.32, m/z 123.02, m/z 111.05 etc.

Elemental Analysis: From the analytical data the molecular formula of the compound **3k** was found to be C₂₆H₂₃N₄O₃Cl. Calculated: %C- 65.82, %H – 4.85, %N – 11.81; Found %C – 65.78, %H – 4.90, %N – 11.83.

Spectral Analysis:

FTIR (KBr, λ max, cm^{-1}):

3523.21, 3405.23 (NH₂ str), 3086.19, 3049.18 (Ar-H str), 2908.9, 2821.10 (C-H str), 1663.1, 1599.02 (C=N str), 1505.1 (C=C str), 1535.1, 1370.1 (Ar-NO₂ str), 1163.01 (C-N str), 726.9 (C-Cl str).

¹H NMR (δ ppm): 8.13-6.65 (m, 13H, Ar-H), 5.70-5.66 (dd, 1H, C5 pyrazoline), 4.62 (s, 2H, -NH₂), 3.72-3.65 (dd, 1H, C4_{cis} pyrazoline), 3.23-3.18 (dd, 1H, C4_{trans} pyrazoline), 3.04 (s, 6H, N(CH₃)₂).

¹³C NMR (δ ppm): 165.02 (C1 pyrimidine), 162.59 (C5 pyrimidine), 158.75 (C3 pyrimidine), 152.43 (C3 pyrazoline), 154.85-110.10 (18C, phenyl ring), 93.47 (C2 pyrimidine), 59.61 (C5 pyrazoline), 41.08 (C4 pyrazoline), 40.03 (N (CH₃)₂).

Mass Spectra (δ ppm): m/z (M⁺) : m/z 301.19, m/z 222.47, m/z 190.16 m/z 121.31, m/z 112.44 etc.

CONCLUSION

It is concluded for scheme that and efficient method for the synthesis of 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-5'-amino pyrimidine]- 3-(4'-chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-Substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **4(a-p)** with excellent yield have been developed. The result of this study indicate that the present synthetic method is a simple efficient, inexpensive and easy synthesis of biologically active compounds 1-[3'-(4''-dimethyl amino phenyl)-5'-amino pyrimidine]- 3-(4'- chloro phenyl)-5-(3'-Substituted phenyl)-2-pyrazoline **4(a-p)**. These compounds showing good result tested at 100 mg/ml concentration against E. coli, S. aureus, Ps. acruginosa, P. vulgaris, A. niger and C. albicans as compare to simple di-amine.

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